BRIDGE ACROSS THE MONONGAHELA RIVER IN ALLE-GHENY COUNTY, PA.

JANUARY 16, 1897.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Sherman, from the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, submitted the following

REPORT.

[To accompany S. 3071.]

The Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, to whom was

referred Senate bill 3071, submit the following report:

The bill authorizes the Braddock and Duquesne Bridge Company to construct a bridge over the Monongahela River in Allegheny County, Pa. The act as originally introduced was presented to the War Department for consideration, and under date of May 20, 1896, General Craighill reports:

I beg to recommend certain amendments to the bill, which are indicated on a copy of the same herewith submitted. As thus amended, I know of no objection to the passage of the bill by Congress, so far as the interests of navigation are concerned.

The recommendations of amendments by General Craighill were adopted in the Senate bill which passed that body on the 29th of May, 1896, and is the bill now before this committee for consideration. The bill contains the usual limitations contained in bridge bills, and, as it complies with the recommendations of the War Department, your committee report it to the House with the recommendation that it do pass.